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Alexandria, Va , August 10, 1879. K. Kemper, General Agent, Life Insurance Co of Virginia, Alexandria, Va.

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AUCTION SALES.

By C'Neal & Lucas, Auctioneers. B. Wheatley et als.)

Ida Lemo et als. DY VIETUR of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, rendered at its October term, 1879, in the above cause, the undersigned, commissioners, will, on TUES-DAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, at 12 c'clock m. before the entrance of the Corporation Court House of Alexandria city, on Fairfax street, sell by public suction to the highest bidner, that VALUABLE HOUSE and LOT OF GRGUND on the west side of St. Asaph street, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph street two hundred and sixty-two feet five inches south of Gibbon street, and running thence south with St. Asaph street fifteen feet eight and one half inches; thence westerly and parellel to Gibbon street one hundred and twenty three feet five inches;

feet eight and one half inches; thence with a direct line to the beginning. Terms: On third of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three cq-al payments, pay-able respectively in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, with interest from the day of sale, and the title of the property to be retained until the whole purchase price is paid.

K. KEMPER,

JOHN S. CHAPMAN

thence north parallel to St. Asaph street fifteen

Commissioners.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers. M. D. Corse et al.

Joseph P. Smith et al.

Note that I be considered the constant of the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its September term, 1878, and September term, 1879, in the above cause. the undersigned, commissioner, will, on SAT-URDAY, the 4th day of October, 1879, at 12 o'clock m., before the front entrance of the Corporation Court House of Alexandria city, on Fairfax street, sell by public auction, to the highest bidder, that VALUABLE HOUSE highest bidder, that VALUABLE HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, on King street, now occupied by Mrs. E. A. Williams, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the north line of King street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., 60 feet eastwardly from the intersection of the east line of Alfred street with the north line of King street aforesaid, and running thanks are allowed. north line of King street aforesaid, and running thence parsilel with said Alfred street north wardly 100 feet to a paved alley; thence eastwardly with the line of said alley and parallel with said King street 43 feet 5 inches; thence southwardly parallel with said Alfred street and said first line 100 feet to said King street, and thence westwardly with the north line of King street 43 feet 5 inches to the place of beginning. Terms of Sale: One fourth of the nurchase

Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three equal pay-ments, payable respectively in six, twelve and eighteen mouths from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, with interest from the day of sale, and the title of the property to be retained until the whole purchase price is paid.

1.EONARD MARBURY.

вер 4-18 Sep 4-ts Commissioner of Sale,
The above sale has been postponed until
SATURDAY, November 1st, 1879, at the same place and hour.

COUNTY, VA.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Jeseph J. Bernum and wife, dated the last day of July, 1871, recorded among the land records of Fairfax county, liber P, No. 4, folio 344, and for the purposes therein mentioned, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, at Fairfax C. H., on MONDAY, the 10th day of November next, (Court day.) a VALUABLE LOT, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, within 50 yards of the paisenger depot of the Virginia Midland railroad, bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of William E. Ford's lot, on Main street, thence running on Ford's lot, on Main street, thence running on the westerly side of said street southerly 95 feet to South street; thence along the northerly line of South street westerly 58 feet 2 inches; thence northerly on the line of lot No. 7 95 feet; thence exterly 58 feet 2 inches along the line of said William E. Ford's lot to the point of beginning. known as lot No. 6 on the map of the Haniss property. The above lot is improved by a DWELLING HOUSE, built in modern style, cor40 feet, with seven finished rooms, besides the

hall and kitchen.
Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will pay the costs and expenses of sale; also the sum of \$1,500, with interest thereon at 10 per cent, per annum from the 1st day of August, 1878, until the day of sale, the residue upon a credit of 12 months, to be secured upon the property. Selling as trustees, we shall convey such title only as is vested in us, which is believed to be unquestionable.

Sale to take place between 12 and 2 o'clock.
THOMAS R. LOVE,
JAMES M. LOVE Trustees.

By Green & Wise, [Reel Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUABLE FARM AND DWELLING.—In
pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the
city of Alexandria, in the cause of Kephart against Lixon's adm'r., and others, the under signed, commissioners of sale, will offer for sale public auction at about 120'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court Boom, on Fairfax street Alexandria, Va, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, that valuable THREL STORY BRICK DWELLING AND LOT OF GROUND, situate on the north side of King street, between Washington and Co-jumous streets, and known as No. 171. Also a VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND with DWELLING HOUSE, &c, in Fairfar county, Vs., lying on Holmes' Run, about 82 miles

from Alexandria, containing 200 acres.
Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue thereof in three qual payments, at one. two and three years from the day of sale, with interest The notes of the purchaser, with approved security, to be given therefor, and the retention of the title to

the property until the purchase money is paid.

WM. H. PAYNE,

ALBERT STUART,

JNO. M. JOHNSON.

Comm'rs. of
Sale.

By Green & Wise [Real Estate Agents and Actioneers.] OM MIS-IONERS' SALE-In pursuance of a cocree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, in the cause of H. B. Claffin & Co. against James M. Stewart and others, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, will offer for sale by public auction, at about 12 o'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court room. on Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, LOT OF GROUND, on the west side of St. Asaph street, between Cameron and Queen sis, 100 feet deep, improved by TWO FRAME DWELLINGS, Nos. 38 and 49 St. Asaph st. Terms of Sale: One fourth in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen mouths, with interest from day of The notes of the purchaser, waiving homestead exemption, with security, to be given therefor, and as further security, the property to te insured for the benefit of commissioners in the amount of \$1,000, and the title to be retained

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AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE LANDS NEAR LEWINS-VILLE, IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, AT COMMISSIONER'S SALE—In and by virtue of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfux of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1878, in the suit of Ball vs Ball, the undersigned special commissioners named in said decree, will on MONDAY, (Court day) the 20th of October, 1879, in front of the Court House door, sell to the highest bidder, the following LOTS and PARCELS OF LAND, lying near Lewinsville, in said county, constituting a part of the real estate of which S. M. Ball, W. W. Ball and Lucy W. Ball died seized:

W. Ball died seized:
Of the estate of S. M. Ball—Lot No. 1, containing 94 acres, 1 rood and 12 poles. Lot No. 2,

taining 94 acres, I rood and 12 poles. Lot No. 2, containing 12 acres
Of the estate of W. W. Ball—Lot No. 1, containing 105 acres, 3 roods and 33 poles. Lot No. 2, containing 44 acres and 10 poles.
Of the estate of Lucy W. Ball—Lot No. 1, containing 106 acres and 14 poles.
These lands are all eligibly situated, of desirable size, and afford a rare opportunity for persons residing in the District to purchase.
Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be requisite to pay expenses of sale, commissions, &c. and the residue in three equal annual pay-ments, to be secured by the notes of the pur-chaser, with approved personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made. A plat of the land will be shown on the day of sale and any information given upon application to the undersigned, at Fairfax Ct. House, Vs. THOMAS MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale.

Fairfax county, sep 15—waw

The above sale, for want of bidders, is
postponed to the TEN'TH DAY OF NOVEMBER next—same place and hour.

THOS. MOORE, Comm'r. of Sale.

Fairfax county, oct 22-wis By O' Neal & Lucas, Auctioneers. BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., ren-dered at the October term, 1879, thereof, in the Cancery cause of Pierpoint's adm'r. vs. Pierchancery cause of Fierpoint's aum'r. vs. Fierpoint et als., the subscribers, as commissioners of sale, in the said cause, will expose for sale at public anction. on TUESDAY, the 18th day of November, 1879, at 12 m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the real estate in the said decrea mentioned to wit. The TENEMENT decree mentioned, to wit: The TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND, in the said city of Alexandria, situated at the southeast intersec-tion of King and Washington streets, in front on King street 18 feet, and extending southwardly

King street 18 feet, and extending southwardly in depth 90 feet, subject to a rent charge in fee of \$56 663 per annum, being the premises, formerly occupied by John R. Pierpoint.

Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments at 6, 12 and 18 months respectively from the day of sale, with interest from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved security, and the retention of the title to the property until they are paid.

S. FERGUSON BEACH. ALBERT STUART, Comm'rs. of Sale.

By Green & Wise, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers)

Y VIRTUE of a decree of the Corporation
Court for the city of Alexandria, Virginia,
rendered at its September term, 1979, in the
cause of Douglass & Brother vs. Gahan and
others the undersigned conversions.

stalments, payable respectively in one, two and three years, with interest from day of sale. H. O. CLAUGHTON Commissioner of Sale.

By Green & Wise,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

CMMISSIONERS' SALE OF WHARF
AND OTHER PROPERTY—In pursuance of a decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, in the cause of James W. Green against H. S. Wattles and others, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, will offer for sale by public auction, at about 12 o'clock m., on ATURDAY, the 15th day of November, 1879, at the front entrance of the Court room, on

Fairfax street, Alexandria, the following prop-1. A LOT OF GROUND, teing at the north. east corner of Water and Gibbon streets, run-ning thence north on Water street 76 feet 5 inches; thence east parallel with Gibbon street to the channel of the Potomac river; thence with the channel to Gibbon street, and thence in a straight line to the beginning, including the ground covered by the brick house on Union st.

ground covered by the brick house on Union st.
—subject to a 10 feet alley midway between
Water and Union streets, and running north
from Gibbon street 76 feet 5 inches.

2 A LOT OF GROUND at the intersection
of the north side of Franklin with the east side of St Asaph street, fronting 82 feet on St. Asaph street, and 113 feet 5 inches on Franklin street, 3. A LOT OF GROUND, on St. Asaph str. north of and adjoining Oliver Norris' lot, front-ing on St Asaph street 112 feet 6 inches and running back east toward Pitt street 113 feet i

inches. 4. A LOT OF GROUND, on the east side of Water street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, fronting on Water street 28 feet, and in depth 90 feet, bounded on the north by an eight feet alley, and on the east by a nine feet alley, with a right of way over both.

Terms of Sale: One fourth in cash, and the residue in one, two and three years, with interest from the day of sale. The notes of the purchasers to be given for the deferred payments, with approved security, and the title to be retained until the whole purchase money is paid.

GEO A. MUSHBACH,

JOHN M. JOHNSON,

Comm'ra of Sale.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, ON OCCUDIAN A FAIRFAX COUNTY, ON OCCOQUAN BAY—By virtue of a deed of trust from J. Jay Comp and wife to the undersigned, bearing date March 10, 1875, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber S, No. 4, folio 104, the undersigned will, on MONDAY, the 10th day of November, 1879, (first day of Circuit Court) in front of the Court House door of said county at 12 o'clock m. sell to the highest bid. county, at 12 o'clock m., sell to the highest bidder the TRACT OF LAND conveyed by said deed and therein described, as follows: Begin-ning at the mouth of a creek which divides this land from Dogue Island patent running thence up said creek with the several courses and meanders thereof to the first fork; thence up a small creek known as "Mill Creek" according to the courses and meanders thereof to the mouth of "Spring Branch;" then up said branch to the fork at Blackburn's line; thence with Black-burn's (now Williams') line; thence with said line to an old stable near Williams' house and Hicks' line, west to a hickory at the head of the valley; thence south to the head of a swamp according to the meanders to the Occoquan river; thence down the river to the beginningcontaining 263 acres. Title supposed to be good. Terms : Cash. oct 15-wts THOMAS MOORE, Trustee.

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there was something the matter with the coinbogus p:rhaps, or something of that sort. After exhausting all your patience and the window panes and floor tiles likewise, an officer in another little den, dressed in a uniform composed chiefly of brass buttons and a big "plaque," the size of a dinner plate, on his left breast, yells out: 'Quatre cant quatre vingttreiza!'' Of course you don't know what he means, and sit stupidly wondering, but on a repatition of the ory you consult your brass door plate and find you hold '493." So up you march to the crier and present your medal, and in return he hands you out a little bowl which contains your lacre. I timed the operation. There were just five persons ahead of me when I entered, and it took me twenty-five and a half minutes by the clock for me to draw my title check of one hundred fraces. - American

instead of half an hour. They would think

Winter in the Arctic Sca.

A letter from Tokio, Japan, to the New York Herald gives an interesting description, as told by the distinguished voyager himself, cf Nordenskiold's winter in the Arctio sea. The Swadish navigator, it seems, was within two days's sail of the open sea-almost in sight of Behring strait-when, on the 28th of Septem ber, 1878, the ice closed in on the Vega and detained him ten months, thus postponing for that period his arrival in Japan. The Profes sor and his gallant crew made the best of their detention, however, the scientists laying in a large stock of valuable information. The thermometer was the most of the time 40 degrees below zero; yet not a single case of sickness occurred. They made friends with the netives on shore-no part of the globe, it would appear, being too hloak to be inhabited by the human kind-whom they found living in Arcadian simplicity, without government and without crime. The men are described as huge of statue, and the women of fice figure and face. To just what special rece they belong or whence they came is as yet a mystery.

The weather remained below freezing point up to near the middle of June last. "Oa the 14th of Juse," adds the Herald c:rrespondent, "there was a sudden change to milder weather. A heavy thaw set io, and the coast land was so covered with mud and slush that all excursions has to be discontinued. The ice which bound the ship, however, was still so strong the explorers did not hope to be able to leave before August. Throughout their stay there had been open water seaward, but far from the ship. On the 16th and 17:h of July an opening manifested itself along the shore, but the ice was still tenacious of its prisoner. So Nordenskiold determined to take the steam launch to the sea, embark and visit some whaling ships reported by the natives to be near Behring Strait. By half past one in the afternoon, when his preparations were almost completed, the ice which enclosed the Vega began to move. An hour later Captain Palander, who was prepared for every emergency, had steam up. At half past three the ship was free, steamed a short distance westward to clear the fice, soon set her plow in the right direction, and experienced no further obstruction from ice in the Siberian Sea."

Nordenskjold thinks the northeast passage between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans may be made every year; but he sees no direct benefit to trade between the two oceans likely to accrue from his discovery. He sees no difficulty, how-ever, in establishing valuable trade with points on the Siberian rivers. Agricultural imple-ments, he argues, can be profitably shipped to siberia and exchanged for raw material which is too expensive to export overland, -Syracusa

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